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SUBJ: 1975-76 TRAVEL ONLY GRANT NOMINEES - CYPRESS

1. TO ENABLE PARTICIPATION FROM BOTH COMMUNITIES THE FULBRIGHT SELECTION COMMITTEE MET AUGUST 8 AT LEDRA PALACE (U.N. FACILITIES) AND SELECTED FOLLOWING CANDIDATES FOR 1975 TRAVEL-ONLY GRANT AWARDS:

### PRIMARY CANDIDATES:

1. COSTAS XENOPHONTOS, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 35, GOC GEOLOGIST SINCE 1968. HOLDER B.SC (GEOLOGY) ABERDEEN UNIVERSITY, SCOTLAND; M.SC (GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES) QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, CANADA. WILL ATTEND PH.D. GEOLOGY AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT DAVIS WHERE GRANTED ASSISTANTSHIP OF \$5,900 PER ACADEMIC YEAR.

2. AGAMEMNON XENOPHONTOS, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 36, LAWYER (PRIVATE PRACTICE) BARRISTER AT LAW LINCOLN'S INN, LONDON 1968. WILL ATTEND M.A. PUBLIC AFFAIRS AT STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY WHERE GRANTED TUITION WAIVER (ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL AID AS SUNY/A INSTITUTE OF CYPRIOT STUDIES PROSPECTIVE FELLOW STILL PENDING).

3. HILVAN H. ALPAY, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 18, STUDENT. SECONDARY SCHOOL DIPLOMA FROM TURKISH MAARIF COLLEGE, NICOSIA AND GCE ORDINARY LEVEL. WILL ATTEND B.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER (GOOD POSSIBILITY RECEIVE TUITION WAIVER).

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4. CHRISTODOULOS TOMASIDES, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 43. LECTURER IN PSYCHOLOGY AT PEDAGOGICAL ACADEMY (TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGE) SINCE 1967. PTYHION (GREEK LITERATURE) ATHENS UNIVERSITY AND DIPLOMA IN PSYCHOLOGY FROM FREE UNIVERSITY, WEST GERMANY. AWARDED INSTITUTE OF CYPRIOT STUDIES FELLOWSHIP FOR GRADUATE STUDIES IN EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY (M.SC) AT STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY. RECOMMENDED FOR PARTIAL TRAVEL ONLY AWARD (RETURN PORTION). CANDIDATE ALREADY IN U.S. IF ADDITIONAL FUNDS BECOME AVAILABLE (GOC CONTRIBUTION) CANDIDATE WILL BE AWARDED FULL TRAVEL GRANT.

ALTERNATE CANDIDATES (IN PRIORITY ORDER)

1. LEFKIOS PAPANICOLAOU, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 40, ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HEADMASTER SINCE 1970. CERTIFICATE FROM TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGE, CYPRUS; CERTIFICATE (ELEMENTARY EDUCATION) ATHENS UNIVERSITY. WILL ATTEND GRADUATE PROGRAM IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION AT LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY.

2. ELIAS LAMBIDES, BORN CYPRUS, AGE 21, STUDENT; HOLDER OF SECONDARY SCHOOL LEAVING CERTIFICATE FROM AMERICAN ACADEMY LARNACA. WILL ATTEND B.S. ENGINEERING AT KENTUCKY WESLEYAN COLLEGE.

2. BECAUSE OF LATE CONDUCT OF COMPETITION DUE POLITICAL SITUATION IN CYPRUS, COMMISSION REGRETS INABILITY SUBMIT IN TIME CANDIDATES' DOCUMENTATION WHICH WILL FOLLOW. ALL CANDIDATES ABLE FINANCE THEIR STUDIES EITHER THROUGH SCHOLARSHIPS AND/OR PERSONAL FUNDS.

3. AS CANDIDATES HAVE TO REPORT TO THEIR RESPECTIVE UNIVERSITIES SOON, COMMISSION REQUESTS BFS APPROVAL ASAP TO ENABLE US ISSUE RELEVANT VISAS AND TRAVEL TICKETS IN TIME.  
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